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Daniel Allen

Private, Corporal & Sergeant

Capt. Bradford's Regt

From 3 January 1777

To 3 January 1780

947 words

Declarations in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress of the 7th of June 1832. State of Maine, Kennebec County, Jo. On this 3^d day of June A. D. 1834, personally appeared, in open Court before the Hon. Nathan Weston, junr. a Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of said State, Daniel Allen a resident of Northrop in the County of Kennebec and State of Maine, a ripe twenty nine years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the pension made by the act of Congress, passed June 7th 1832, That he enlisted in the army of the United States in the year 1777 with Capt. Mott and served in Col. Bradfords Regt of the Mass. line or troops under the following named Officers, viz. Mott, Capt. & Bradfords Colonel. That he enlisted in that Company & Regt. as a private in January 1777, for three years, that he served as a private about three months & was then appointed a Corporal, in which capacity he served about two years, when he was appointed a Sergeant & served as such until honorably discharged at West Point in January 1780. Having served at least two years as a Corporal & nine months as a Sergeant. That he was placed on the Maine Roll under the act of Congress of March 18. 1818, and that his pension Certificate is numbered 5885, and deposited therefor on account of his property. That at that time he resided in Northrop in the County of Kennebec and State of Maine, and now resides in the same town. That he is now on the Maine Roll under the act of Congress of June 7th 1832, his pension Certificate being numbered 3,734. That in his former declaration he was not particular to state the grades of service, considering the fact of his having served sufficient to entitle him to pension without stating the length of time he served as a Corporal or Sergeant. He now states his grades of service more particularly, refers to the annexed deposition & the Certificate of the Secretary of State of Massachusetts now on file in the Pension Office, and prays that his pension may be increased accordingly. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity, except the present, and he declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of any Agency in any State, except as aforesaid. (Signed) Daniel Allen.

Sworn and Subscribed the day & year aforesaid Before me.

(Signed) Nathan Weston. Jus. S. C. -

And the said Court does hereby declare its opinion that the above named applicant was a Revolutionary Soldier, and served as he states. The said Allen being well known to the Subscribed as a man of veracity & entitled to credit - (Signed) Nathan Weston

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State of Maine, Kennebec. I, John A. Chandler, clerk of all the Judicial Courts held within and for the County of Kennebec, hereby certify, that the Hon. Nathan Weston before whom the within proceedings were had, is a Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of said State; I also certify that the within contains the original proceedings of the said Court in the matter of the application of Daniel Allen for a Pension. I also certify that Peter S. Jennings & Isaac Chase are Magistrates as appears by annexed Affidavits. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Court, this 3rd day of June A.D. 1834. (Signed) J. A. Chandler

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Secretary's Office, July 31. 1833.
I hereby certify, that from an examination of the Books and Documents, relating to Military Service in the War of the Revolution, which remain in this Department, it appears that Daniel Allen of Wrentham served in the 8th Company in Col. Bradford's regt. from the 3rd of March 1777 to the 31st of December 1779 & was paid for thirty-three months & twenty-eight days service as follows, viz: For service as a Corporal twenty-four months & twenty-eight days at 46¢ and as a Sergeant nine months at 60¢ - \$81.17.0. It further appears that said Daniel Allen was a "three years man" & the minutes upon the account as stated by the State with said Allen, is for his service as above, viz: "a Corporal 24: 28: at 46¢" } \$81.17. 11.
"a Sergeant 9. . . at 60¢ }

(Signed) Edwards D. Bangs, Secy.
I hereby certify that the foregoing pages numbered from One to two inclusive, are truly copied from the originals on file in the Pension Office, War Department. And I do further certify that it appears from the records of Revolutionary Service of Colonel Bradford's Regiment, Massachusetts Line, deposited in said Office, that Daniel Allen enlisted in Captain Stetson's Company on the "3rd January 1777" for "3 years" - "appointed Corporal June 1779" discharged 3rd January 1780. Benj. L. Beale
Sept 22^d 1835.

I certify that Benjamin L. Beale, who is employed by the Land Agent of the State of Maine under a Resolution of the Legislature of that State approved by the Governor on the twentieth day of March 1835, to obtain from the Pension Office, certain documents and records

has made as full an examination in the case of Daniel Allen as the Books and Papers of said Office will allow, according to the best of my judgment and belief. Dated at the Pension Office War Department, the twenty second day of September, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five -

J. L. Edwards
Commissioner of Pensions -

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David Allen,
Winthrop,

Lot 1094 in Letter Dr
decision Jan'y 1. 1836

conveyed to grantee
Jan'y 21. 1837

Rec'd the deed of the above
Lot. Jan'y 27 1837
Geo W. Norton

STATE OF MAINE.

LAND OFFICE,
Augusta, Oct. 22^d 1835 }

N^o. 139.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That Daniel Allen
of Winthrop in the County of Kennebec
by declaration sworn to on the 27th day of April last,

(See Claim No 63)

and other accompanying evidence has satisfactorily proved his claim
to the benefits of a "Resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers
of the Revolutionary war and the widows of deceased officers and
soldiers," approved March 17, A. D. 1835, and that "the lawful
holder" of this certificate is entitled, under said Resolve, to TWO

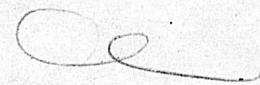
HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND.

John H. Hildreth Land Agent of Maine.

Exam^d & countersigned,
Mr. Mearns

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Dand. Allen (of Winthrop)
Application for Land.

Recd. April 29, 1835.



Served 33 m. 280.

Admitted, & certificate N. 139,
if. Oct. 22. 1835.

Oct. 22. 1835. Recd. the above
certificate Oct. 22. 1835. for
Dand Allen of Winthrop.

Robert C. Vose


R. C. Vose

I *Daniel Allen* of *Winthrop* in the County of *Kennebec* and State of Maine, aged *eighty* years, do, upon oath declare, in order to obtain the benefit of a Resolve of the Legislature of Maine, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," that I enlisted *in the year 1777 for three years in Capt. Stetson's company Broadford's regiment of the Mass.* *line in the Army of the Revolution and was discharged at West Point in the year 1780 having served the full period of three years and am honorably discharged for which service I am now on the pension roll of the U. S. State of the main army. I was discharged as a Sergeant*

I do further on oath declare that at the time of my said enlistment, I was an inhabitant of *Winthrop then the District of Maine* and was on the 17th day of March, 1835, have been ever since, and am now an inhabitant of the State of Maine, residing in *Winthrop* aforesaid, where I have resided for *many* years past. That neither I, nor any one claiming under me, has ever received a grant of Land, or money in lieu thereof, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for my said service, or any other service during the Revolutionary War, and that I am justly entitled to the benefit of said Resolve.

Daniel Allen

STATE OF MAINE.

Kennebec SS.... Subscribed and sworn to this *27th* day of *April* 1835
BEFORE ME,

Geo. W. Weston

Justice of the Peace.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I,

Daniel Allen of *Winthrop* in the County of *Kennebec* and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby constitute and appoint ROBERT C. VOSE, of AUGUSTA, in the County of Kennebec, my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Resolve of the said State, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute such receipt or acknowledgment therefor, as I might, were I personally present.

HEREBY ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my hand and seal this *twenty seventh* day of *April* A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

IN PRESENCE OF

Thomas H. Ellis

Geo. W. Weston

Daniel Allen

STATE OF MAINE.

Kennebec SS.
Be it Known, that on this *27th* day of *April* 1835, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared *Daniel Allen* above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by him signed, to be his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name the day and year last above mentioned.

Geo. W. Weston

Justice of the Peace.

KNOW ALL MEN That I, *Samuel Allen* named in the foregoing Power and Affidavit, do hereby constitute, appoint and make ROBERT C. VOSE, of AUGUSTA, in the County of Kennebec, my Attorney irrevocable, for me and in my name and stead to bargain for, sell, dispose of and transfer to any person, and upon such terms as he may think best, the Certificate which he may obtain for me of the Land Agent, and of my right and interest in and to the Land to which I shall be entitled in virtue thereof and of the Resolve aforesaid. And in case my said Attorney shall not sell or transfer such certificate before the Land shall be surveyed and laid out into lots as provided in said Resolve, and ready for selection and conveyance, I further hereby authorize and empower my said Attorney to represent me before the Land Agent, and for me and in my stead to select and make choice of the lot of Land to which I am entitled, and to receive from the Land Agent a Deed and Conveyance thereof to me in fee, and after having obtained such Deed and Conveyance, I hereby further authorize and empower my said Attorney to sell and dispose of such lot of Land on such terms and conditions as he may think proper, and for me and in my name and stead to make, execute and deliver a Deed and Conveyance thereof to the purchaser, as fully as I could do if present. Hereby ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney may do for me in the premises,

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this *Twenty seventh* day of *April* A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED
IN PRESENCE OF

Thomas H. Eli

Geo. W. Morten

Samuel Allen

STATE OF MAINE.

KENNEBEC ss.

The aforesaid *Samuel Allen*
Power of Attorney to be *his* free act and deed.

appeared and acknowledged the foregoing

BEFORE ME,

Geo. W. Morten

Justice of the Peace.